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DR. P. C. RUNDIO, of Patterson, Pa., wishes to inform his friends and patients that he has removed to the house on Bridge Street opposite Todd & Jordan's Store, April 6-11

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MILITARY CLAIMS. THE undersigned will promptly attend to the collection of claims against either the State or National Government, Pensions, Back Pay, Bounty, Extra Pay, and all other claims arising out of the present or any other war, collected.

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Pensions! Pensions! ALL PERSONS WHO HAVE BEEN DISABLED DURING THE PRESENT WAR ARE ENTITLED TO A PENSION. All persons who intend applying for a Pension must call on the Examining Surgeon to know whether their Disability is sufficient to entitle them to a Pension. All disabled Soldiers will call on the undersigned who has been appointed Pension Examining Surgeon for Juniata and adjoining Counties.

P. C. RUNDIO, M. D., Patterson, Pa. Dec. 9, 1865.

MEDICAL CARD. DR. S. O. KEMPFER, (late army surgeon) having located in Patterson tenders his professional services to the citizens of this place and surrounding country.

A LARGE stock of Queensware, Colarware such as Teas, Butter Bowls, Buckets, Quarts, Baskets, Horse Buckets, &c. at PUTOFFE, FROW & PARKER'S

Select Poetry.

"MUSTERED OUT." Published by Request. Let me lie down, Just here in the shade of the cannon-torn tree, Here, low in the trampled grass, where I may see

Wounded and faint, Oh, that last charge! Right through the dread fire of shrapnel and shell, Through, without faltering, clear though with a yell.

It was a duty! Some things are worthless, and some others so good, That Nations who buy them pay only in blood;

I am no saint, But, boys, say a prayer. There's one that begins: "Our Father," and then says: "Forgive us our sins!"

I am mustered out! O God of our Fathers, our freedom prolong, And tread down rebellion, oppression and wrong!

MINUTES OF A GOOD TEMPLARS CONVENTION FOR EAST JUNIATA DISTRICT, HELD AT MILLERSTOWN, FEBRUARY 22, 1866.

Convention met at 9 o'clock, A. M., and was called to order by Rev. E. W. Kirby, W. C. T., who appointed Sister Bierbrower, W. V. T., Brother Sutch, W. A. S., Brother Williams, W. M., Sister Horning, W. D. M., Brother Titzel, W. I. G., Brother Comp, W. O. G., Brother Ross, W. C., Sister Price, W. R. H. S., Sister Ewing, W. L. H. S., and Brother Taylor, P. W. C. T.

Brothers Cleaver, Eshelman and Ross were appointed a Committee on credentials, who reported the following delegates present: Perry Lodge, No. 2—Cyrus H. Hochlander, Martha A. Michener, William M. Sutch, Elia W. Bierbrower, John A. Wilkinson, Sarah E. Charters, Charles H. Smiley, Matric Mohaffie, Emory M. Stevenson, Florence S. Vanfossen, Adie A. Stevens, and Sallie A. Foster.

Juniata Lodge, No. 73—Joseph Martin, A. H. Weidman, Mary H. Chambers, and Rebecca Diven. Salem Lodge, No. 81—Isaiah J. Bruner, Emma S. Beaumont, Edmund D. Kinch, and A. E. Howe. Mifflintown Lodge, No. 82—James H.

Ross, W. H. McClellan, Kate Ewing and Ellen Price. Newton Lodge, No. 94—S. H. Taylor, Samuel Ewing, Malinda Vanzandt and Ellen Robb.

Rebecca Lodge, No. 102—Rev. J. W. Cleaver, Jacob Eshelman, Henry Comp and George Keely. Port Royal Lodge, No. 108—J. F. Williams, Ezra P. Titzel, Valeria Zimmerman, and Ella Roberts.

Sherman's Valley Lodge, No. 129—Austin L. Lane, Laura J. Milligan, J. M. Brothers and Helen R. Lane. Liverpool Lodge, No. 137—Dr. Jacob Ritter, John Neagley, Anna E. Shuler and Margaret J. Lindsey.

Bonne Lodge, No. 149—T. D. Garman, Henry Knisley, Jane R. Tennis and Mary E. Knisley. Rev. J. F. Crouch, G W C T, was introduced to the Convention. The minutes of last Convention were read. The Business Committee submitted the following report, which was received and taken up for consideration.

1st. Does the secrecy of our order impede the progress of the temperance reform? 2nd. Should the number of Delegates to our Convention be reduced? 3rd. Resolved, that we recommend to the Lodges in this District the distribution as a tract of the petition recently presented to the Legislature by the Grand Lodge.

4th. How can we best prevent tattling the affairs of our order to those not members? A. H. WEIDMAN, E. W. BIERBROWER, J. W. CLEAVER. The first question was discussed and answered "No."

The second was discussed at considerable length, and on motion postponed till afternoon session. Adjourned. AFTERNOON SESSION. Convention met at 1 1/2 P. M., W C T in the chair. Minutes of forenoon session read and approved. The committee on credentials reported the following delegates present:

Logan Lodge, No. 68—P. F. Loop, Ellen Troxel and Charles Stratford. Granville Lodge, No. 122—A. C. Lytle, J. M. Owen, Independence Eisenbise and Louisa E. Ort. Miss L. Ellen Wright, G W S of Pa., was introduced to the Convention. The Committee appointed at last session to invite ministers to preach temperance sermons reported verbally, and was discharged.

The second question proposed at morning session was called up, and after some discussion, was referred to a Special Committee consisting of Brothers King, Garman and Taylor. The third resolution was taken up, and after debate, adopted. The fourth question was discussed, and after a very profitable debate, was answered "By the frequent inculcation of secrecy on our members."

REPORTS FROM LODGES. Brother Hochlander reported No. 2 at Duncannon in flourishing condition, never more so; 155 members, and rapidly increasing.

Brother Loop reported No. 68 at Lewistown, two years at work, doing a great work, and its influence being felt; nearly 300 members; a new Lodge is about being organized.

Brother Weidman reported No. 73 at Mifflintown very prosperous; rum sellers beginning to fear the Good Templars; doing all we can; have taken in several inebriates who are consistent; 70 members, and still increasing.

Brother Bruner said that 81 at Newport was doing very well; some trouble about "cider;" 84 members. Brother Ross reported 82 at McVeytown doing very well; initiations every week, and have doubled in membership since last Convention. Our highest object is to elevate the fallen and instruct the young, but many prominent christian citizens set their faces against us. We are trying hard to dry up the liquor traffic; 150 members.

Brothers Ewing and Taylor reported 84 at Newton Hamilton 90 members—last report of members was entirely too high; Lodge very prosperous; hotels nearly dried up; can't raise more than a jug full at a time, and their customers are deserting fast to the Loage room; expect to organize three new Lodges in the neighbor-

hood very soon; mean to petition for prohibition. Brother Cleaver reported 102 at Millerstown as very harmonious and flourishing; have not stopped any from selling, but have induced a great many to cease buying whisky; 60 members, and increasing weekly.

Brothers Williams and Titzel reported 108 at Perryville, a new Lodge, very flourishing and promises much good; 74 members; intend organizing at Spruce Hill, six miles distant; a tavern keeper is offering his stand for sale.

No. 122 at Grarville, submitted a very encouraging written report; organized December 5th with fifteen members; now have 45; meet in Ebenezer M. E. church; prospects good.

Brother Lane reported 129 at Bloomfield, 60 members and rapidly increasing; very prosperous; Lodge two months old. Brother Ritter reported 137 at Liverpool; organized since New Year and has now 84 members; good prospects.

Brother Garman reported 149 at Thompsonstown; organized February 5th; 27 members now; some christian people are opposed to us, while liquor drinkers and sellers are in our favor, condition of the Lodge, very good. W C T made some congratulatory remarks, when the G W C T announced that, according to the reports, 1119 Good Templars were represented here, and at his suggestion, Convention arose and sang with much feeling and power, "Praise God from whom all blessings flow"

On motion of Brother Bruner it was Resolved, That we recommend that each Lodge in the district invite the ministers of the gospel in their respective neighborhoods to preach temperance sermons at least once every three months. On motion, proceeded to fix place of holding next meeting, when McVeytown was chosen.

Rev. J. W. Cleaver was chosen W C T and A. H. Weidman W S of next Convention. Adjourned. EVENING SESSION. Convention met at 9 1/2 P. M., W C T in the chair. The Committee on delegate system submitted the following report, which was adopted.

Your Committee on the subject of representation, begleave to submit That large numbers in attendance are desirable by reason of the influence they have on communities where such Conventions are held; therefore we recommend that the question proposed by the business committee be answered in the negative, and that hereafter as heretofore we welcome full delegations under the present rule.

S. M. KING, T. D. GARMAN, S. H. TAYLOR, Com. On motion, a vote of thanks was tendered the citizens of Millerstown for their kind and hospitable treatment to the members of this Convention. On motion, it was agreed to hold the next Convention on Friday, June 1st '66. On motion of Brothers Stratford and Hochlander, it was Resolved, That each Lodge should hold a monthly experience meeting in the most public place that can be procured for the purpose.

On motion, the W S elect was instructed to have 100 copies of the proceedings of the present session printed on slips for distribution among the Lodges, and authorized to assess the cost on the Lodges according to his best judgment. Brothers Ross, Williams, and Ewing, and Sisters Mischeper and Chambers were appointed a Business Committee for next session.

Brothers King, Bruner and Ross were appointed a Committee to draw up a new order of business and report at next meeting. On motion, a vote of thanks was tendered to the G W C T and G W S for their attendance, and the address of the former at the public meeting this evening. Adjourned.

SAMP. S. KING, W. S.

Break a woman's heart, and she will smile and forgive you. Break a joke upon her face, and she declares war—war to the scissors. One of our exchanges gives an account of a child being born with three tongues. Our devil wants to know if it's a girl.

GENERAL JOHN W. GEARY'S SPEECH.

We give below a full report of the address made by General Geary, in his acceptance of the nomination bestowed upon him by the Union Convention of Pennsylvania.

Mr. President, gentlemen of the Convention and fellow citizens, I meet you under circumstances that fill my heart with the deepest emotion and the profoundest awe, and know of no language by which I can adequately express to you the feelings which this signal and most emphatic manifestation of your favor and confidence has impressed me— And indeed I think I would be wanting in the great characteristics of our nature if I were not deeply affected.

If a stranger had entered this city today, he would scarcely have failed to be impressed by the enthusiasm and earnestness with which the deliberations of this Convention have been characterized.— The enlivening strains of music, the tumultuous cheers of the crowd, the exultant roars of artillery, and the general enthusiasm which has everywhere pervaded the people around us, may well be taken as indicative of the general endorsement which the people of the State at large will accord to your action. And among your own assemblage, as well as in the streets of this city, you may readily recognize many of the men who have done battle for the country and her institutions amid the curling smoke of well contested fields. Under all these circumstances, you, gentlemen of the Convention, indeed, no doubt, by considerations which you considered satisfactory, have chosen me as the standard-bearer of the great Union National Republican party in the coming contest for Governor of Pennsylvania. [Great applause.] And you have thus selected me from among the many worthy, honorable, patriotic and intelligent gentlemen who were my competitors for the nomination—gentlemen whose patriotism in intelligence no one can doubt. I feel, therefore, that you have imposed upon me a debt of gratitude which long years—aye, a lifetime—devoted to the public service and the interest and honor of Pennsylvania can never cancel. I have to ask, in all humility, that I may be made fully sensible of the great responsibilities which devolve upon me, and that I may be strengthened with sincere, determined purposes to advance all the true principles of humanity and the best interests of the country in every worthy, honorable and patriotic enterprise. Profoundly sensible of, and grateful for so distinguished an evidence of your esteem and confidence, with a firm and unwavering determination to sustain the great principles of equal justice which underlie our republican institutions, with a hearty endorsement of the principles embodied in the platform, I accept the nomination. [Applause.] I accept it, not in the belief that in my own person I possess any intrinsic merit, or have rendered any services to my country which entitled me to receive the nomination, but I accept it as a matter due to 350,000 soldiers of Pennsylvania, who have done battle for their country and have rendered services whose value can never be estimated, and to whom we are indebted for a home and a country. On their account, as one selected by them to accept and receive this matter at your hands, and viewing it as a compliment to them, I thank you most heartily. And I assure you, my fellow citizens and gentlemen of the Convention, that as far as I possess the ability, and with the aid of the powerful and eloquent Union men of Pennsylvania, the coming grand political battle shall be fairly and honorably conducted to its legitimate termination and still grander victory.

I beg to again return you, fellow citizens and gentlemen of the Convention, my unfeigned thanks for the honor you have conferred upon me.

REMARKABLE ESCAPE. The following beats all the stories of remarkable escapes which we remember ever to have seen: "On the passage of the ship Anaxander from New Orleans to New York, a young lad, about fourteen years of age, from a naturally frolicsome and mischievous disposition, because so troublesome in his pranks that he was threatened by the captain, if they were

continue, that he would confine him in a water cask. Our youngster took no heed, however, and, at his next offence, he was put in the cask, which was headed up, leaving a large bung-hole for the admission of air. That night the ship encountered a violent storm, and, in a sudden lurch, the cask containing the boy rolled over into the sea. Fortunately, the cask struck bung up, and floated about thirty hours, when it was thrown upon the beach at St. Blas. Here the boy made desperate efforts to extricate himself from his prison, without success, and, in despair, gave up to die. Some cows, however, strolling on the beach, were attracted to the cask, and, in walking round it, one of them, it being fly-time, switched her tail into the bung-hole which the lad grasped with a desperate resolution. The cow bellowed, and set off for life, and after running some two hundred yards with the cask, struck it against a log on the beach and knocked it to smash. The boy was discovered by some fishermen on the Point, and taken into Appalachicola, where, a small collection being made for him, he was enabled to proceed on his journey homeward."

TENNESSEE. Col. W. B. Stokes, elected Representative in Congress, was presented in Nashville with a gold-headed cane on the 8th inst., prior to his departure for Washington. The presentation took place in the Senate chamber of the Capitol—Governor Brownlow, Gens. Thomas, Fisk, Milroy, &c., being present. In referring to the presentation address by W. B. Shane, he said: "I am again on my way to Washington, to help the Union men to restore law and order! I am regardless who deviates to the right or to the left. If some men choose to go astray, even if they be high in authority, I have taken no oath to follow any man. Your friends in Washington are the Union men in Congress. Sometimes they are termed Radicals. I don't care what name you call them. I can be called a Radical as easily as I was called a Lincolnite and Abolitionist in 1861. The Radicals are your friends, I repeat. Some of them are a little extreme in some of their views, but still you must remember that these Union men are the ones who saved our Government in 1861, when it required all the energy and courage of man to meet the dreadful crisis. Are they not the men whom you should trust now with the reins of Government?"

The Boston Herald has a long account of the discovery of the murder of the two children, Isabella N. and John S. Joyce, in Bussey's woods, West Rockbury, on the 12th of June, 1865. He was found to be a convict in the State prison, who had been sent there for a burglary committed in Worcester county, shortly after the murder. His strange conduct when arrested led the officer to think he was a hardened criminal, and his boasts afterwards of large deeds performed by himself, together with some of unguarded expressions, gave the clue which, being followed by two Worcester county officers, has fastened the murder alluded to almost undeniably upon himself. His partial confessions, with the corroborative evidence obtained, leave no doubt in the minds of the officers of his guilt. His sobriquet is "Scratch Gravel." His right name is Charles Aaron Dodge.

HOW TO TAKE UP TREES.—One of the speakers, at a recent meeting of agriculturists in New Haven, Conn., gave the following sensible directions for taking trees from nurseries. He said: "An enormous amount of money is annually lost to tree purchasers from the rude and unskillful taking up. Trees are torn up by the roots, as if the trunk and branches were the one thing necessary, and the roots superfluous. The proper way is, to open a trench on each side of the tree with a common spade, keeping the edge toward the tree, so as not to cross a root. These trenches should be far enough from the tree to avoid the main roots, and deep enough to go below all except the top root, which may be cut off. This being done, the tree may be pulled up with its roots entire."

It is easy to say grace—but not half so easy to possess it.

A crow is a brave bird—he never shows the white feather.